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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

FROM : [REDACTED]
Deputy Director of Data Processing

SUBJECT: Meeting with State Department Personnel

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1. A meeting was held with personnel from the Office of Inspector General of the State Department on 27 June 1979. In attendance were the following:

State
Jerry Bridges
David Conner
Robert Granick
George Lowe

ODP
Bruce Johnson
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2. The Office of Inspector General of the State Department is embarking on an audit of information systems needs in the Department. Their audit will include the following areas:

- ° Effectiveness of present systems.
- ° Plans for minicomputer usage in embassies.
- ° Data communications to support a network which includes their headquarters equipment, three regional processing centers, and embassy minicomputers.

3. We discussed, in very general terms, our development of administrative systems for the DDA and the approach to the use of minicomputers abroad. They are interested in exploring possibilities for joint sharing of resources abroad--data communications capacity, equipment servicing, and applications development.

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4. We expect to hear from them again in about two weeks. If appropriate, we will refer them to the Office of Communications and the Information Management Staff for more detailed discussions.



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